IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND NORTHERN DIVISION

JEFFREY F LAWRENCE :

And

DONNA LAWRENCE :

Plaintiffs : Civil Action # MJG-02-CV-3224

v. :

THE "IMAGINE...!" YACHT, LLC :

And

ANNAPOLIS BAY CHARTERS, INC. :

And

LATITUDE 38, LLC :

Defendants :

ANSWER TO CROSS CLAIM OF LATITUDE 38, LLC AGAINST THE "IMAGINE...!" YACHT, LLC

Cross Defendant, The "IMAGINE...!" Yacht, LLC, by its attorney, Robert H. Bouse, Jr., for Answer to the Cross Claim filed by Latitude 38, LLC, says:

- 1. The Cross Defendant, The "IMAGINE...!" Yacht, LLC, admits the allegations contained in paragraph 1 of the Cross Claim.
- 2. The Cross Defendant, The "IMAGINE...!" Yacht, LLC, denies the allegations contained in paragraph 2 of the Cross Claim.

AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES

3. The allegations contained in the Cross Claim fail to state a cause of action against the Cross Defendant, The "IMAGINE...!" Yacht, LLC.

- 4. The Cross Plaintiff was guilty of negligence which caused or contributed to the happening of this occurrence, if any should be proven.
- 5. That the Cross Plaintiff was guilty of breach of duty to properly supervise which was the proximate cause of the Plaintiff's injuries if any should be proven.

WHEREFORE, having fully answered the Cross Claim, Cross Defendant, The "IMAGINE...!" Yacht, LLC, prays that the Cross Claim be dismissed with costs and attorneys fees assessed against the Cross Plaintiff.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 1st day of April, 2003, copy of the foregoing Answer to Cross Claim of Latitude 38, LLC was electronically mailed only to:

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